

Floyd Petersen, Mayor Stan Brauer, Mayor pro tempore Robert Christman, Councilmember Robert Ziprick, Councilmember Charles Umeda, Councilmember

COUNCIL AGENDA:

May 9, 2006

TO:

City Council

SUBJECT:

Proclamation - Florence Nightingale Moment, May 12.



## CITY OF LOMA LINDA, CA

## PROCLAMATION FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE MOMENT MAY 12, 2006

WHEREAS, Florence Nightingale is recognized as the founder of modern nursing; and

WHEREAS, the concept of holistic health, including care of the mind, body and spirit of the person was the foundation of Florence Nightingale's nursing practices; and

WHEREAS; the importance of environmental issues was a mainstay in Florence Nightingale's development of nursing care; and

WHEREAS, Florence Nightingale worked unceasingly with politicians and those in authority to further healthcare reform; and

WHEREAS, on the anniversary of her birth, May 12, nurses from around the world honor Florence Nightingale and her legacy to nursing by "relighting the lamp" and carrying the vision of nurses united in healing into the future;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Floyd Petersen, Mayor of the City of Loma Linda, on behalf of the entire City Council, do hereby proclaim May 12, 2006 as

## FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE DAY

AND JOIN WITH THE American Holistic Nurses Association, Loma Linda Network and the nursing community at large to honor her work in the practice of medicine.

SIGNED this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May 2006.

Floyd Petersen, Mayor